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2 GREENWICH PLAZA					
		(No. and Street)			
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(City)		(State)	, <u>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </u>	(Zip Code)	
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER O WILLIAM K. SMITH (20	F PERSON T 3) 622-2	O CONTACT I 978	N REGARD TO	THIS REPOR	RT
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#### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, WILLIA	M K. SMITH	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of ,
my knowledge an RENAISSANC	d belief the accompa E CAPITAL IN	anying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of NVETMENTS, INC.
of DECEMBE	R 31	, 2008 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
	any nor any partner, is that of a customer,	proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
		PRESIDENT
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	t of Changes in Liabi ion of Net Capital.	ilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
(g) Computat		on of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
		ossession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
□ (j) A Reconc		propriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
		n of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
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(l) An Oath o		
(m) A copy of	the SIPC Supplemen	
n) A report de الـ	escribing any materia	al inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.
* For conditions of	of confidential treatn	nent of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).
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RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC.
#2 GREENWICH PLAZA
GREENWICH, CT. 06830
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2008

#### RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

#### FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

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#### Independent Auditor's Report

Renaissance Capital Investments, Inc. #2 Greenwich Plaza
Greenwich, CT 06830

I have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Renaissance Capital Investments, Inc. as of December 31, 2008, and the related statements of income, statement of cash flows, changes in stockholders' equity, and changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on the audit.

I conducted the audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that the audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Renaissance Capital Investments, Inc. as of December 31, 2008, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplementary information contained is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

A.L. Wellen LLC

Arthur M. Levine, CPA

Jersey City, New Jersey

JAWUARY 27 2009

#### RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2008**

#### **ASSETS**

Cash & Cash Equivalents \$ 139,683

Due from parent \$ 75,363

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 215,046

#### LIABILITIES & SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY

#### **CURRENT LIABILITIES**

TOTAL LIABILITIES NONE

#### SHAREHOLDER EQUITY

Capital Stock- Common \$.01 par value
1,000 shares authorized 136 shares issued \$ 1

Retained Earnings 215,045

TOTAL SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY 215,046

TOTAL LIABILITIES & SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY \$\_215.046

## RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

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Commissions and Fees Interest and Dividend Income TOTAL INCOME		\$ 11,700 
<u>EXPENSES</u>		
Administration fee expense – Parent Bank service charge SIPC Assessment	\$ 12,533 256 150	
TOTAL EXPENSES		12,939
Net Profit before taxes		\$ 177
Federal Income Tax CT Corporate tax	\$ 1,173 586	<u>1,759</u>
Net (Loss) for the twelve months ended December 31, 2008		<u>\$ (1,582)</u>

## RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

#### **CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:**

Net (Loss) Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:  -0-	\$ (1,582)
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$ (1,582)
Cash and cash equivalents January 1, 2008	141,265
Cash and cash equivalents December 31, 2008	<u>\$ 139,683</u>

## RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

#### **COMMON STOCK**

Total January 1, 2008 Changes for the period- January 1, 2008 To December 31, 2008	\$	None
TOTAL COMMON STOCK - DECEMBER 31, 2008	<u>\$</u>	1
RETAINED EARNINGS Total January 1, 2008 Net profit for the period January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008	\$	216,627
TOTAL RETAINED EARNINGS December 31, 2008	<u>\$</u>	215.045

THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THESE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS -5-

# RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN LIABILITIES SUBORDINATED TO CLAIMS OF GENERAL CREDITORS FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Total January 1, 2008 none
Changes for the period – January 1, 2008 to
December 31, 2008 none

TOTAL SUBORDINATED LIABILITIES –

TOTAL SUBORDINATED LIABILITIES – December 31, 2008

none

THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THESE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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### RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The firm is authorized to operate as a broker / dealer in securities under the Securities & Exchange Act of 1934 and is a member of FINRA and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation.

Securities transactions are recorded on a settlement date basis, generally the third business day following the transaction date. The Financial Statements are presented on a settlement date basis which does not differ materially from trade date basis.

The firm clears its customers' transaction through another brokerage firm on a fully disclosed basis. The firm promptly transmits all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker. The firm files reports pursuant to the Securities and Exchange Commission Rule17a-5(b).

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Marketable securities are valued at market value and securities not readily marketable are valued at fair value as determined by the Board of Directors. The resulting difference between cost and market (or fair value) is included in income.

#### USES OF ESTIMATES:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the report amounts of assts and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### NOTE 2 - FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

Depreciation is computed using various methods over the assets estimated useful lives.

### RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

#### NOTE 3 - INCOME TAXES

The Company accounts for income taxes under the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes," which requires the Company to recognize deferred tax assets and liabilities for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are determined based on the difference between the financial statement and tax bases of assets and liabilities as measured by the current enacted tax rates which will be in effect when these differences reverse. Deferred tax expense is the result of changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities. There are no material differences between currently payable income taxes and deferred Income taxes.

#### NOTE 4 - NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule 15c 3-1, which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital. As of December 31, 2008, the company had net capital of \$ 139,683 which is \$ 39,683 in excess of its minimum net capital requirement of \$ 100,000. A copy of the firm's financial statements as of December 31, 2008 is available for inspection at the firm's office or at the regional office of the Securities Exchange Commission.

#### NOTE 5 - DIFFERENCES IN NET CAPITAL COMPUTATION

There were no material differences in the computation of net capital between the audited report and the submitted focus report as of December 31, 2008. (See attached)

## RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

#### NOTE 6 - SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOWS INFORMATION

Cash and cash equivalent is cash in a cash accounts. The company paid \$1,759 for corporate income taxes during the twelve months ended December 31, 2008.

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#### SCHEDULE I

# RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL PURSUANT TO RULE 15c 3-1 AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2008

Stockholders' Equity- Per statement of Financial Condition		\$ 215,046
CAPITAL REDUCTIONS		
Non Allowable Assets Haircuts TOTAL CAPITAL REDUCTIONS	\$ 75,363 	75,363
NET CAPITAL		* 139,683
MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIRED		100,000
EXCESS NET CAPITAL		\$ 39.683
ITEMS OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS	<u>S</u>	
	None	
TOTAL ITEMS OF AGGREGATE INDEBT	EDNESS	<u>\$0-</u>
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to r	net capital	0-%

#### SCHEDULE II

# RENAISSANCE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, INC. RECONCILIATION OF FOCUS REPORT WITH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2008

Net Capital – per computation of Net Capital December 31, 2008 on the audited report.

\$ 139,683

NET CAPITAL PER FOCUS REPORT DECEMBER 31, 2008

**\$ 139,683** 

There were no material differences in net capital between the audited report and the focus report dated December 31, 2008

We, officers of Renaissance Capital Investments, Inc. #2 Greenwich Plaza, Greenwich, CT. 06830, hereby attest that the Financial Statements and Operational Reports as at December 31, 2008 submitted by A. L. Wellen LLC 880 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, NJ 07306 have been or will be made available to all members of our organization.

William K. Smith, President

Kathleen S. Smith/Secretary

ATTESTED BY:

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G. L. Wellen Lic

STATE OF CONNECTICUT ]
TOWN OF GREENWICH ] SS:
COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD ]

William K. Smith, being sworn according to law, deposes and says:

I am the president of Renaissance Capital Investments, Inc. # 2 Greenwich Plaza

Greenwich, CT 06830.

The report submitted by A.L. Wellen LLC as at December 31, 2008 showing a Statement of Financial Condition, Statement of Income Expenses, Statement of Cash Flows, Statement of Changes in Shareholders Equity, Statements of Liability Subordinated to Claims to General Creditors, and all other supporting schedules, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I also affirm that I, or any Officer or Director, do not have any Propriety Interest in any Accounts classified as that of a customer.

WILLIAM K. SMITH

Subscribed and sworn to before me

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Supplementary Information Pursuant to Rule 17a-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

As of December 31, 2008

A.L. Wellen LLC 880 Bergen Avenue Suite #801 Jersey City, NJ 07306-4310

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5 (g)(1) FOR A BROKER -DEALER CLAIMING AN EXEMPTION FROM SEC RULE 15c3-3

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Board of Directors Renaissance Capital Investments, Inc. # 2 Greenwich Plaza Greenwich, Connecticut 06830

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Renaissance Capital Investments, Inc., as of and for the period January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008 in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5 (g) (1) of the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule17 a-5 (g) in making periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons and recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
- 2. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. Rule 17a -5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that misstatements of the entity's financial statements that is more that inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second paragraph of this report, were adequate at December 31, 2008, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the SEC, FINRA, and other regulatory agencies that rely on rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

A.L. Wellen LLC

Arthur M. Levine, CPA

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